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Dear Chairman Gleason:

This E-Mail is being sent to solicit your help in holding Special Open Meetings in the local area where Docket # W-01303A-08-0227 affects the consumer.

Arizona-American Water is requesting a rate increase in 10 districts as follows:

1. Agua Fria Water District;
2. Anthem Water District;
3. Havasu Water District;
4. Mohave Water District;
5. Paradise Valley Water District;
6. Sun City West Water District;
7. Tubac Water District;
8. Agua Fria Wastewater District;
9. Anthem Wastewater District; and
10. Mohave Wastewater District.

We are requesting that public comment meetings be conducted in the areas that are affected by this rate increase. The only meeting scheduled is in Phoenix on March 9, 2009.

We have reviewed: TITLE 14. PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATIONS;
CORPORATIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS; SECURITIES REGULATION
CHAPTER 2. CORPORATION COMMISSION
FIXED UTILITIES.

R14-2-105. Notice of rate hearings

A. Every public service corporation shall give notice to customers affected of any hearing at which the fair value of that corporation's property is to be determined and just and reasonable

rates and charges are to be established.

B. The form and manner of such notice shall be as the Commission may direct by procedural order. **Historical Note** Adopted effective March 2, 1982 (Supp. 82-2).

It appears that the commission has the latitude to direct the location of hearing. It would defeat the purpose, holding hearing in areas where distance from the affected customer would limit customer participation. There are a lot of residents that will be impacted by this rate increase. A

face to face meeting would allow both parties and the commission to receive input for the process.

Therefore: I am requesting the procedures of how to petition the commission to hold hearing in the local area where the rate increases will effect the customer. If you wish additional information, please contact me at 928 768-6109 or E-Mail: jrsnavely@msn.com.

Thank You

Jim Snavely
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